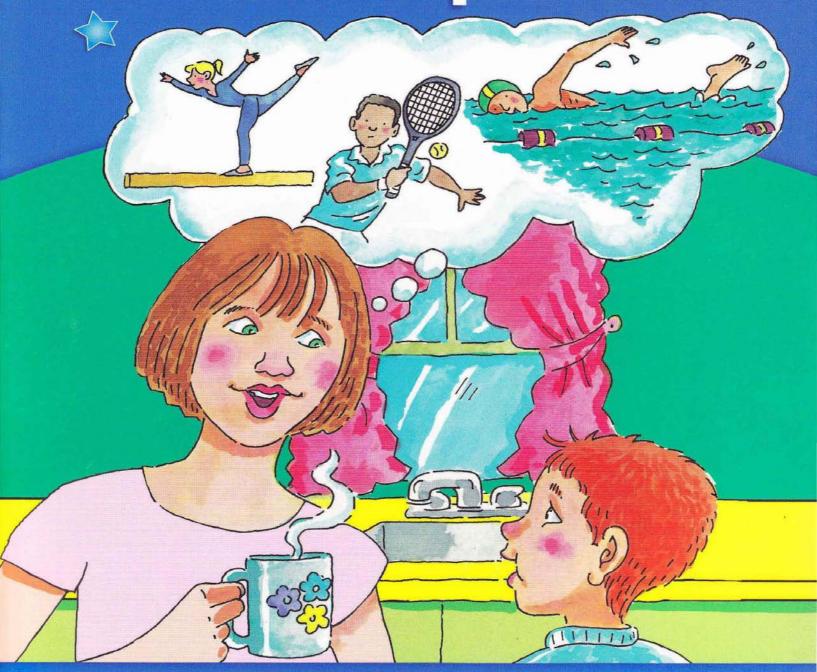


Tom's Sports



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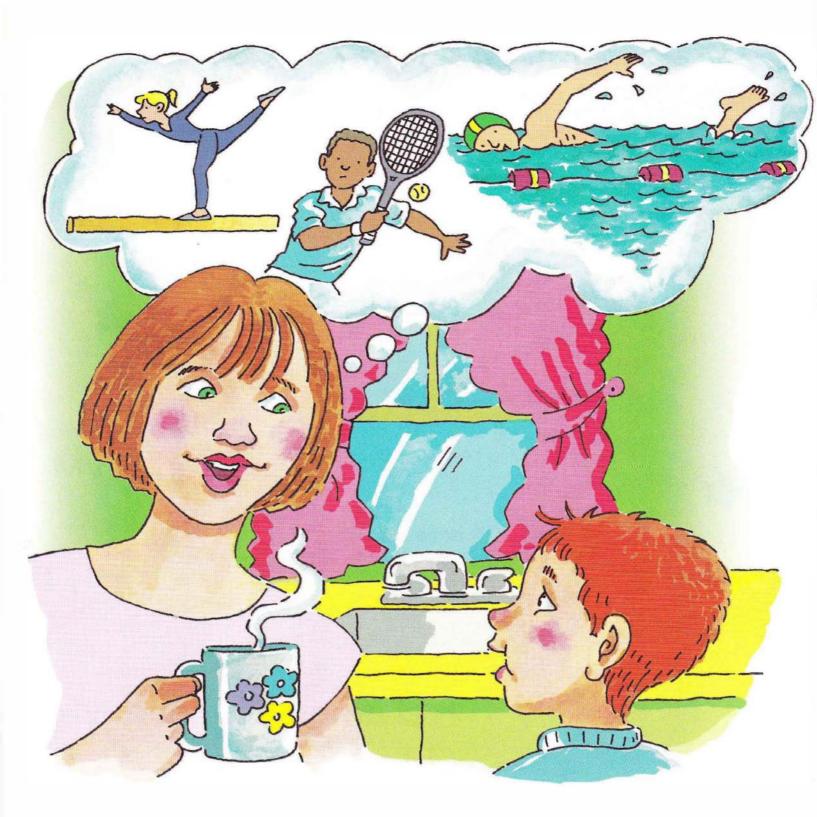


CD Track 32: Story read with sound effects. Turn page after *sound*. CD Track 33: Story read without sound effects. Turn page after *sound*.

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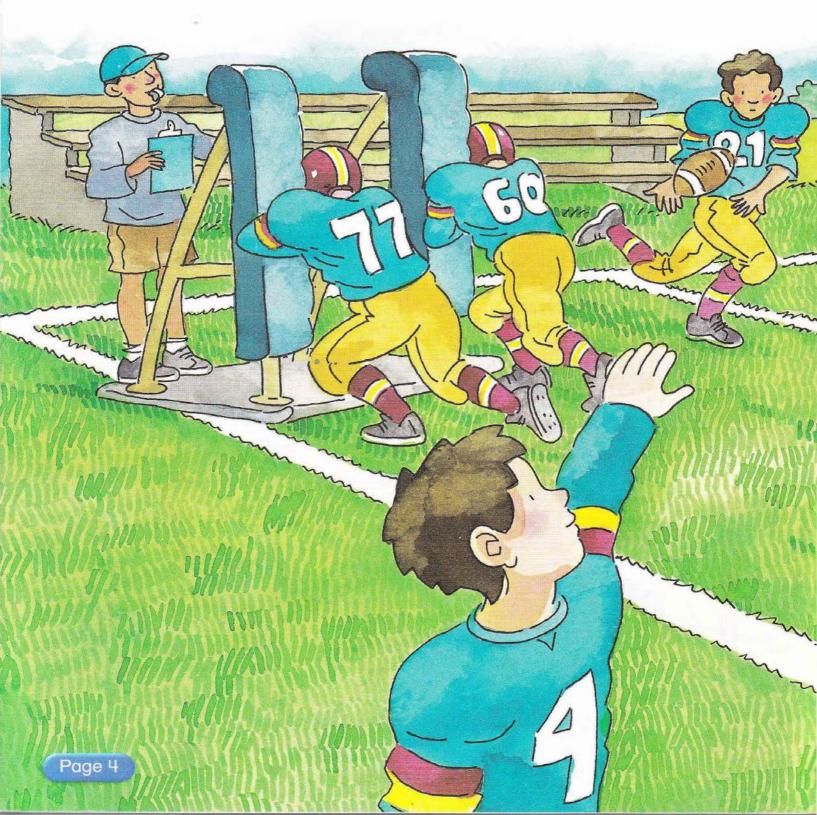


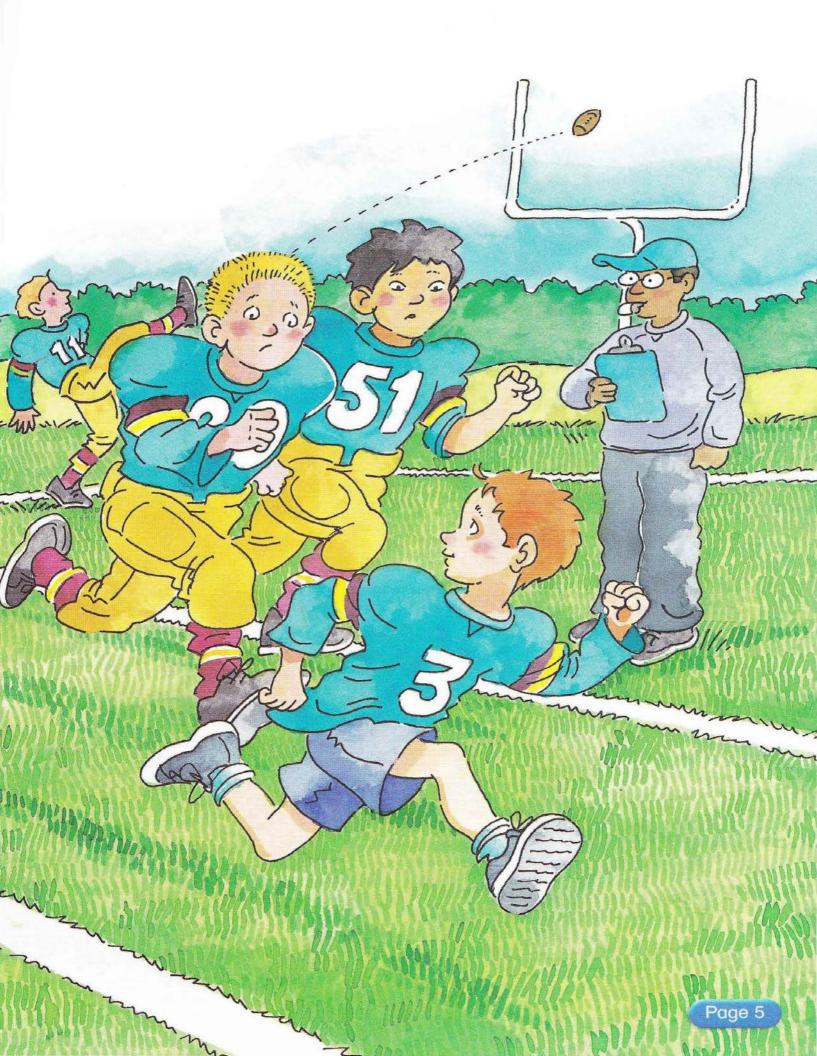


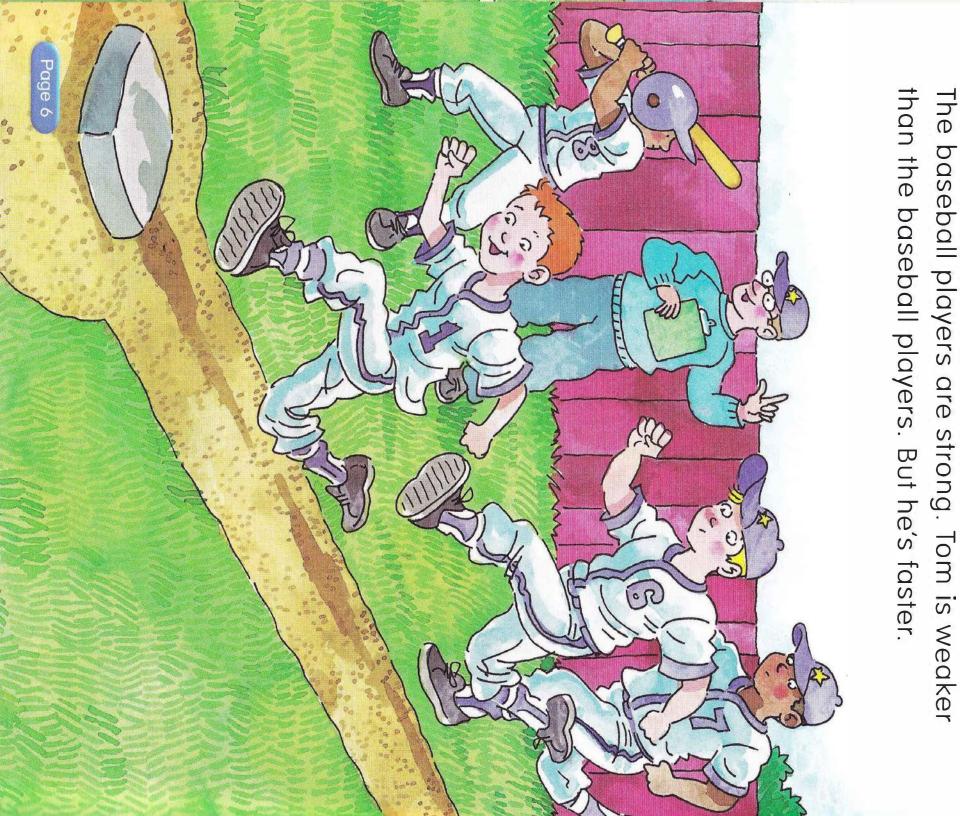
"What do you like? Do you like sports?" asks Tom's mother. "Yes, I do," says Tom. "Which sports do you like?" asks Tom's father. "I don't know," says Tom.

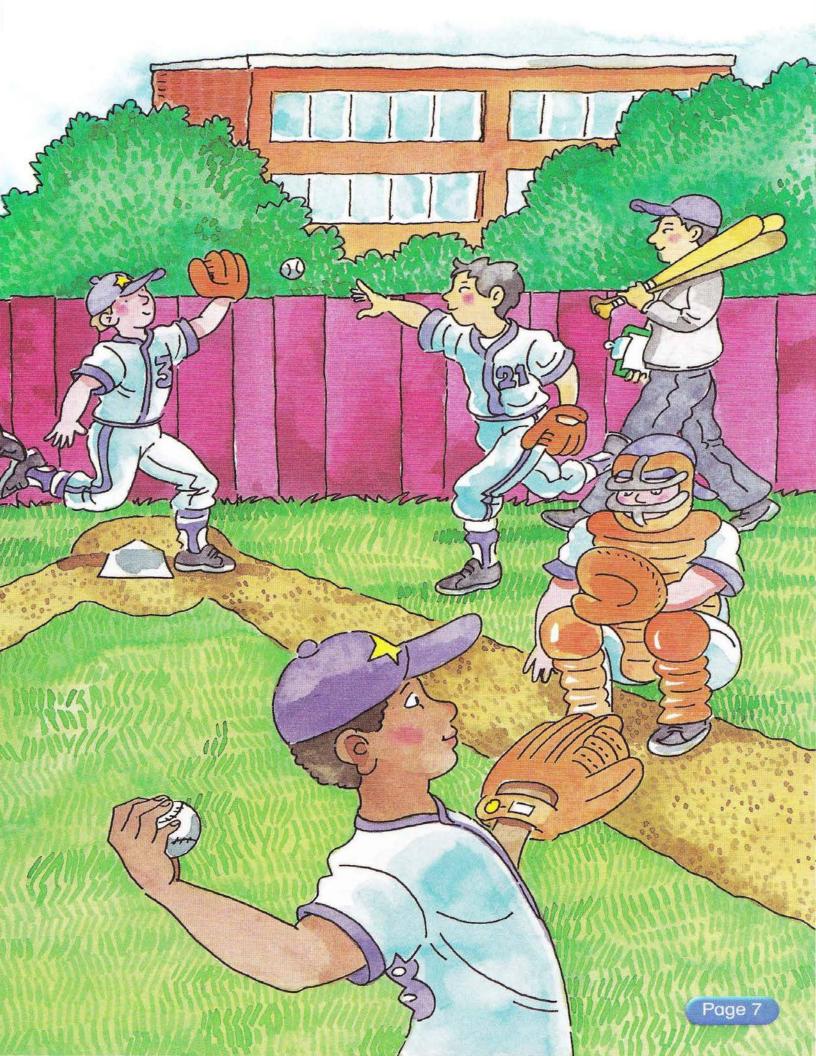


The football players are big. Tom is smaller than the football players. But he's faster.

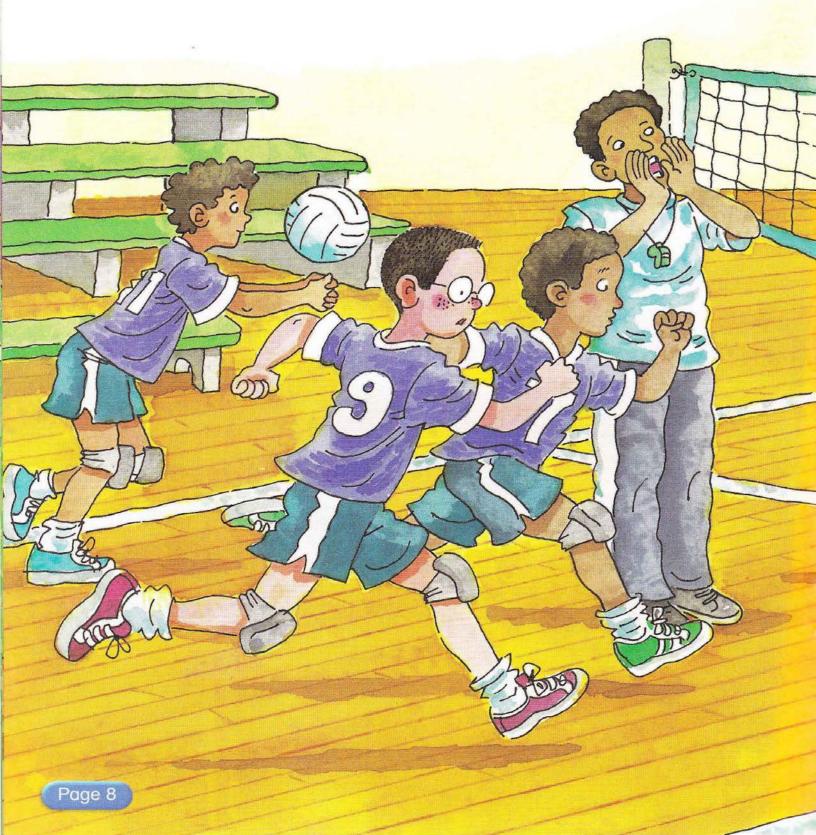


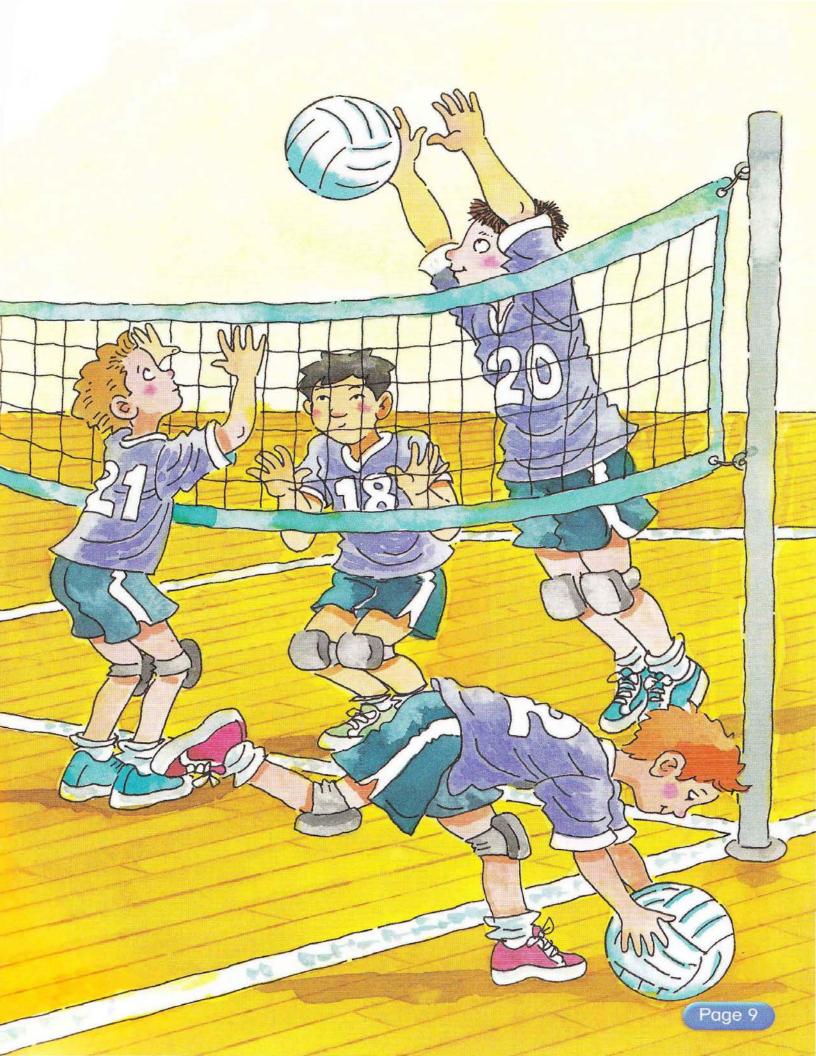


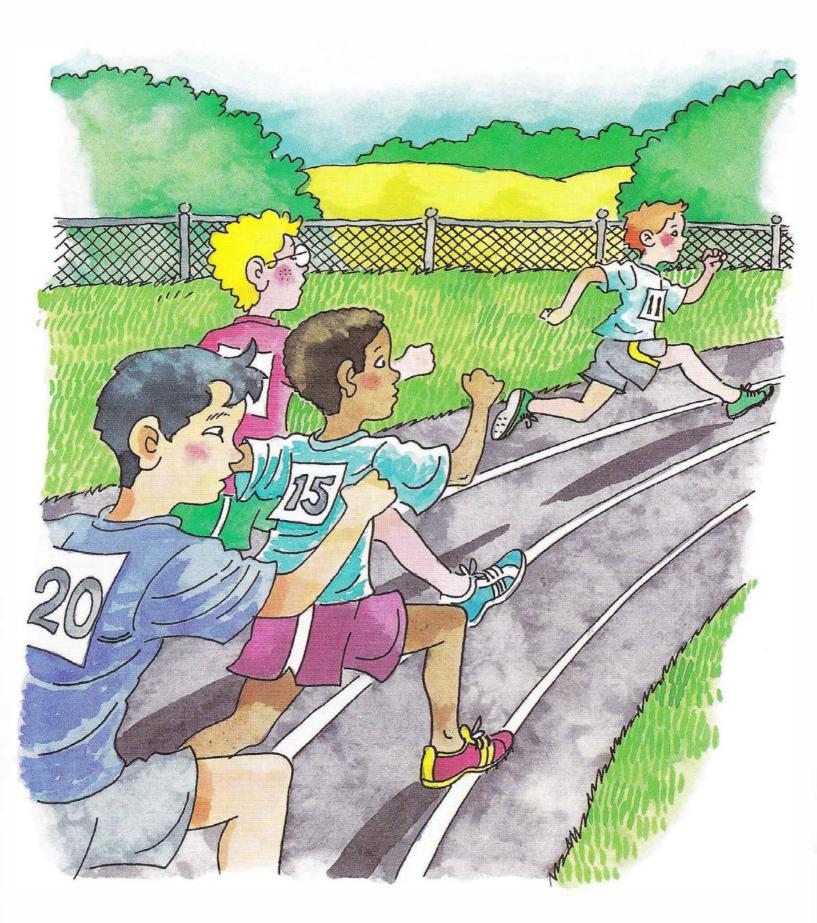




The volleyball players are tall. Tom is shorter than the volleyball players. But he's faster.







The runners are slower than Tom.





Tom is faster than his dog, too!



"Well, which sport do you like more?" asks Tom's mother.

"I like track!" says Tom.









Track 34

Exercise I. Circle True or False.

1. Tom is faster than the runners.

True

False

2. Tom is slower than his dog.

True

False

3. Tom likes track more.

True

False

4. Tom doesn't like sports.

True

False

Exercise 2. Match.

- 1. big •
- 2. weak •
- 3. tall
- 4. heavy •
- 5. fast

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- light
- slow
- small
- short
- strong

Exercise 3. Write.

 The baseball players are strong.
<u>Tom is weaker than the</u> <u>baseball players.</u>

1

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2. The volleyball players are tall and heavy.

3. The football players are big.

4. The runners are slow.















